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FOR: OPTICAL FIBER, DISPERSION COMPENSATOR AND OPTICAL
TRANSMISSION SYSTEM

- Enclosed are:
- 72 pages of specification, claims, abstract.
 - Declaration and Power of Attorney.
 - Priority Claimed.
 - Certified copy of _____
 - 22 sheets of formal drawing.
 - An assignment of the invention to Sumitomo Electric Industries, Ltd.
and the assignment recordation fee.
 - Information Disclosure Statement, Form PTO-1449 and references.
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 - CIP of 10/347,147

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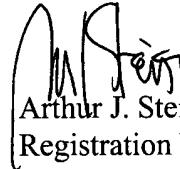
	NO. OF CLAIMS		EXTRA CLAIMS	RATE	AMOUNT
Total Claims	33	-20	13	\$18.00	\$234.00
Independent Claims	5	-3	2	\$84.00	\$168.00
				Multiple Dependent Claim(s)	\$0.00
				Basic Fee	\$750.00
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